



THE DEPUTY SECRETARY OF DEFENSE

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MEMORANDUM FOR: SECRETARIES OF THE MILITARY DEPARTMENTS
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DIRECTOR OF DEFENSE RESEARCH AND ENGINEERING
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SUBJECT: Assistant Secretary of Defense for Command, Control,
Communications and Intelligence

Because of the crucial importance to the Department of the functions of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Command, Control, Communications and Intelligence, including the new responsibility for implementing the corporate information management initiative, effective immediately the Assistant Secretary shall report directly to the Secretary and the Deputy Secretary of Defense in the performance of all his functions.

Effective immediately, the authority, duties and responsibilities of the Assistant Secretary shall be as provided in DOD Directive 5137.1, except as follows:

- (a) the Assistant Secretary shall have the authority, duties and responsibilities provided in my memorandum entitled "Implementation of Corporate Information Management Principles;"
- (b) the acquisition-related activities of the Assistant Secretary shall be subject to review by the Defense Acquisition Board in accordance with Department of Defense Directives 5000.1 and 5000.49, and shall be subject to the direction of the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition as provided in Section E.2 of DOD Directive 5134.1; and
- (c) the Assistant Secretary shall exercise authority, direction and control over the Defense Communications Agency, the Defense Mapping Agency, the Defense Intelligence Agency, and the General Defense Intelligence Program Staff.

The Assistant Secretary of Defense for Command, Control, Communications, and Intelligence may, with the concurrence of the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, transfer to the Under Secretary such acquisition-related functions of the Assistant Secretary as may be appropriate.

This memorandum supersedes existing Department of Defense Directives and guidance to the extent of any inconsistency. The Director of Administration and Management, in coordination with appropriate officials of the Department, shall prepare for my approval directives and revisions to directives to incorporate the substance of this memorandum in the Department of Defense Directives System.